WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

ORDER NO. 2756

TN	THE	MATTER	OF:

Served August 27, 1985

Application of INTERNATIONAL)	Case No.	CP-85-09
LIMOUSINE SERVICE, INC., for)		
Special Authorization to Conduct)		
Charter Operations Pursuant to)		
Contract with National Rehabili-)		
tation Hospital)		

By application filed August 12, 1985, International Limousine Service, Inc., ("ILS" or "applicant"), seeks authority pursuant to WMATC Special Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 1 to transport employees of National Rehabilitation Hospital ("Hospital") in charter operations pursuant to contract with the Hospital, between the main lobby of the Hospital located at 106 Irving Street, N.W., and the Hospital's fringe parking lot located at 4th Street and Michigan Avenue, N.W., also serving the Brookland Metro Station on Michigan Avenue, N.E., as directed by the Hospital.

Order No. 2749, served August 13, 1985, generally described the evidence submitted with the application, and that order is incorporated by reference herein. The Commission required publication of notice and the filing of an affidavit of publication. Applicant complied with these requirements, and no protests to the application were received by the Commission within the time set therefor.

Commission Regulation No. 70 provides that an application of this type will be granted if it is determined that the applicant is fit, willing, and able properly to perform the proposed service and to conform to the provisions of the Compact and the rules, regulations, and orders of the Commission thereunder, and if it is determined that the proposed operations conform to the provisions of Regulation No. 70. The issue of whether the public convenience and necessity requires such service has been determined in Case No. MP-79-04. See Order No. 2004, served June 20, 1979.

Inasmuch as the contract is for a fixed term of at least 181 days and provides for the transportation of employees pursuant to a contract with their employer, the Commission finds that this application conforms to the requirements of Commission Regulation No. 70. It is further found, based on the evidence of record as

described in Order No. 2749, that applicant is fit, willing, and able properly to provide the service described above and to conform to the requirements of the Compact and the rules, regulations and orders of the Commission thereunder.

Applicant has a current certificate of insurance on file with the Commission. An appropriate authorization shall issue simultaneously with the service of this order.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

WILLIAM H. McGILVERY Executive Director